

II. Remarks

In response to the Office Action and Notice of Allowance, Applicant wishes to express special appreciation for the examination.

The above-provided amendment is intended to tidy up the claims and to add new claims with further limitations, hopefully in part utilizing claim fees already paid. It is believed that there is no new matter and that no further search is required. Should there be any question presented by the Amendment, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned to expedite examination and issuance.

With respect to the present application, the Applicant hereby rescinds any disclaimer of claim scope made in the parent application or any predecessor or related application. The Examiner is advised that any previous disclaimer, if any, and the prior art that it was made to avoid, may need to be revisited. Nor should a disclaimer, if any, in the present application be read back into any predecessor or related application.

III. FEE

If any extension of time is required, it is requested that this be deemed a petition and request therefore.

APPLICANT CLAIMS LARGE ENTITY STATUS. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the above-identified patent application or credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. 50-0235.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned at the address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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